



Spokane County Fire District 8 NOTICE OF RECRUITMENT

Paramedic-Firefighter
Salary Range: \$52,032 - \$57,368

The Position: Spokane County Fire District 8 will be testing to create an eligibility list for full-time entry-level and lateral Firefighter/Paramedics. The eligibility list will be used to immediately fill up to four (4) newly created Firefighter/Paramedic positions and future positions as vacancies and new positions occur.

The District: Spokane County Fire District 8 provides a full range of services to approximately 23,000 citizens in 110 square miles of beautiful urban, suburban and rural areas on the southern borders of the City of Spokane and the City of Spokane Valley. The area's many lakes, rivers, streams, mountains, and entertainment venues provide for a wide range of recreational and cultural activities. The District personnel include: 26 full-time staff, approximately 70 volunteer staff, 14 temporary-hourly employees, and a resident firefighter program with up to 12 personnel. The District is governed by an elected three member Board of Fire Commissioners serving staggered six-year terms.

Minimum Qualifications:

- High School Graduate or equivalent
- IFSAC Firefighter I certification or equivalent training
- National Registry or Washington State EMT-P certification- Paramedic
- College level coursework or degree desired in the areas of: Fire Science, Fire Command Administration, Emergency Medicine or any combination of experience, education, and training that would provide the level of knowledge, skills and abilities required to be successful in the position.
- Maintain Valid Drivers License

Written Exam and Physical Ability Testing: Candidates who meet the minimum qualifications will be invited to participate in a Written Exam on Thursday July 31st, 2008. The top scoring candidates will be invited to complete the Physical Ability Test on Friday August 1st, 2008. Candidates successfully completing the physical ability exam will be notified of continuation in the hiring process.

Applications and a detailed job description may be obtained by contacting the District at 509-926-6699 or on the District's web site at www.scfd8.org

Applications must be received at the District's administrative office no later than 4:00 P.M. on July 24th, 2008. 12100 E Palouse Hwy. PO Box 345 Valleyford, WA 99036. Faxes will not be accepted